**Cavan County Council**

**ARTS DEVELOPMENT AWARDS**

**Guidelines and Application Form for Arts Providers**

For projects and events taking place up to February 2019

**Deadline for submission of completed application: 25th January 2018**

Organisations, groups or individuals running arts events and projects in County Cavan or promoting the County arts offerings elsewhere between February 2018 – February 2019.

**Criteria**

The Arts Developments Awards are designed to assist and enhance arts participation, engagement, and audience development for the arts in relation to any of the following categories:

**Arts Participation** (e.g. workshops, performance, arts production, etc. involving the general public and/or target groups)

**Arts in Settings** (e.g. Artist-led projects in settings such as community, education,

health care, landscape, etc.)

**Arts Events** (e.g. stand alone events, events as part of a festival, scheme or

communityproject, etc.).

**The examples above are meant as a guide only.** The scheme is open to other proposals that arts providers might wish to make which are relevant to their aims.

##### Please Note

* The total funds available under this scheme will not exceed €12,000.
* Applicants are encouraged to source funding from other agencies or sponsors.
* The maximum amount awarded to any applicant will be €1,000, however it is expected that most awards will be in the region of €400 - €600.
* The assessment and quality of your application will be adjudicated by a panel.
* Applicants are notified approximately six weeks after the closing date.
* Applications in hardcopy only: support material is essential to each application.
* Late applications cannot be accepted.
* **Closing date is: Thursday 25th January 2018 at 4.00pm**